GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION
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SHIFTING OF INDUSTRIES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the process of shifting the hazardous and non-conforming industrial units from the residential areas of the Capital (Delhi):

(b) if so, the number of such units and the locations thereof;

(c) the extent of which these units were hazardous;

(d) the efforts made so far for shifting these units and outcome thereof;

(e) whether the same process and rules are proposed to be made applicable and extended to the whole of National Capital Region; and

(f) if so, the steps taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a)to(d): The Delhi Pollution Control Committee hasreported that 1328 hazardous industries have been closed in Delhi as per orders of Hon`ble Supreme Court 118 hazardous industries identified subsequently have also been closed.The Government of N.C.T. of Delhi has reported that it has acquired and taken possession of 1,865 acre of land for development of new industrial areas where polluting and other industrial units functioning in residential/non-conforming area are proposed to be shifted. The scheme implementing agency i.e. the Delhi State Industrial Development CorporationLtd. has made allotments to about 14,700 units who have applied for alternate industrial accommodation and found eligible under the Relocation scheme in the above area. Allotments to another about 1,400 units have been made for plots/flatted factories available in developed industrial areas at Jhilmil Patparganj, Badli and Narela.
(e)&(f): The location of industrial units in the areas falling in the sub-regions of participating States of NCR viz.Haryana, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan is governed by the Master Plan provisions and the Pollution Control Acts of the respective State Governments.